

REMARKS

This is in response to the Office Action dated November 1, 2005. Claims 3 and 9 have been canceled. Thus, claims 1-2, 4-8 and 10-19 are now pending.

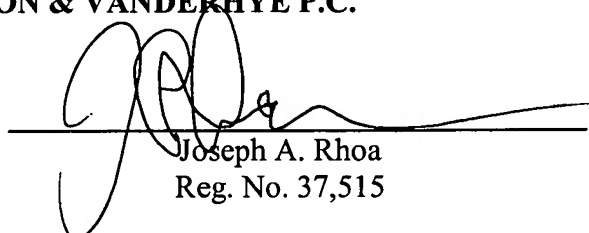
The applicant notes with appreciation the Examiner's allowance of claims 14-19, and the Examiner's indication that claims 3 and 9 contain allowable subject matter. In this regard, allowable claims 3 and 9 have been added to claims 1 and 8, respectively, so that the application is now in condition for allowance.

If any minor matter remains to be resolved, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned with regard to the same.

Respectfully submitted,

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